

House Resolution No. 3713

Whereas, it is with special pleasure that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to recognize a select group of remarkable young athletes who have distinguished themselves as leaders of their peers; and

Whereas, the members of the Jefferson City High School Boys Track and Field Team took Second Place at the Missouri State High School Activities Association Class 4 State Track and Field Championship held May 27-28, 2005, at Lincoln University; and

Whereas, the talented Jefferson City Jays gave their many fans good reason to cheer as they scored 47 points while competing against the team from Lee's Summit High School; and

Whereas, the Jays had a tremendous 2005 season which was highlighted by wins at the Capitol City Relays and the Blue Springs Relays; and

Whereas, the Jays could not have attained such phenomenal success this season without the unparalleled guidance of Coaches Dennis Licklider, Kirk Obermiller, Roberta Licklider, Jim Marshall, Dennis Vallandingham, Brett Phillips, Joe Cusak, and Scott Gschwender, all of whom have continually instilled within each of their talented players the desire to realize their full potential; and

Whereas, special words of commendation go out to Jefferson City Jays Track and Field Managers Elyse Anderson, Michelle Klempke, Carmen Stickler, Brianna Hayes, and Julia Hull; and

Whereas, few high school students possess the athletic skill and stamina displayed by Jays Prince Nworkorie, Derrick Shepherd, Travis Ruth, Ben Licklider, Jeff Clarkson, Brian Crawford, Tyler Padgett, Derek Wiseman, Tyler Severance, Erik Mueller, Damon Morris, Chris Harris, Ben McHugh, Nick Heberle, James Berry, Tyler Sammons, Brad Wilson, Demario Johnson, Chris Wilbourn, Phillip Hawley, Dustin Thomas, Nathan Allen, Scott Ricks, Lester Edwards, and Ross Licklider:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, unanimously join in extending our most hearty congratulations to the 2005 Jefferson City High School Jays Track and Field Team at this proud moment of well-deserved distinction; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of the noteworthy achievements of the Jefferson City High School Jays Track and Field Team in Jefferson City, Missouri.

Offered by _____
Representative Mark J. Bruns
District No. 113

Representative Bill Deeken
District No. 114

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House

Resolution No. 3713, adopted June 14, 2005.

Rod Jetton, Speaker